## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application	n of	)	Examiner: Rodney McDonald
Gopalraja, et al.		)	
Serial No.:	10/632,882	)	Art Unit: 1753
Filing Date:	July 31, 2003	)	

For: SELF-IONIZED AND CAPACITIVELY-COUPLED PLASMA FOR SPUTTERING AND RESPUTTERING

## RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sirs:

In response to the Office Action dated August 30, 2006, the due date for which has been extended three months to February 28, 2007 by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, in connection with the above-referenced application, please enter and consider the following:

There are no amendments to the specification or drawings.

There are no Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9.